

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION****DIVISION OF ENGINEERING SERVICES**

Office of Structural Materials

Quality Assurance and Source Inspection



Bay Area Branch

690 Walnut Ave. St. 150

Vallejo, CA 94592-1133

(707) 649-5453

(707) 649-5493

Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 13.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:** Pursell, Gary**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-011656**Date Inspected:** 25-Jan-2010**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 700**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1530**Contractor:** Oregon Iron Works Clackamas, Or.**Location:** Clackamas, OR**CWI Name:** M. Gregson, J. Salazar**CWI Present:** Yes No**Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A**Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A**Electrode to specification:** Yes No N/A**Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A**Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A**Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A**Approved Drawings:** Yes No N/A**Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A**Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** Hinge K Pipe Beams**Summary of Items Observed:**

The Quality Assurance Inspector Sean Vance arrived on site at Oregon Iron Works, Inc (OIW) in Clackamas, OR, to randomly observe the in process welding of the Hinge K Pipe Beam assemblies. The QA Inspector arrived on site to randomly observe the OIW Quality Control (QC) Inspectors in process and completed visual and nondestructive testing. Upon the arrival of the QA Inspector the following observations were made:

**AG Machining (Boring, OR)**

On this date, the QA Inspector arrived at AG Machine shop, to witness the final machining of the Fuse 120A-5. The QA Inspector met with the AG Machinist and AG explained that he was in process of setting up for the second cut pass, for final machining. The QA inspector witnessed AG performing an outside measurement on the circumference of the Fuse. The AG Machinist then explained to the QA Inspector that the cutting depth will be set to remove approximately 1 mm of overlay material and that this cut pass will machine the Fuse to approximately 1921 mm final outside diameter. AG then explained that an additional third cut pass will possibly be needed, for a final finish cut and then the final honing will be started, after completion of the cutting passes. The QA Inspector later witnessed AG start the second cut pass on the Fuse, as shown in pictures below. The QA Inspector noted that the contract requires a final outside diameter finish of 1920mm (+/-1mm) with a surface finish of .8 µm.

**OIW Fabrication Shop-Bay 6 (ESW Overlay Process)****Hinge-K Pipe Beam Fuse Assembly 120A-8**

The QA Inspector was informed by QC Inspector Jose Salazar that the electroslag welding (ESW) will remain idle on this fuse, until OIW receives additional shipment of flux. The QA Inspector noted that OIW had previously

# WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

( Continued Page 2 of 3 )

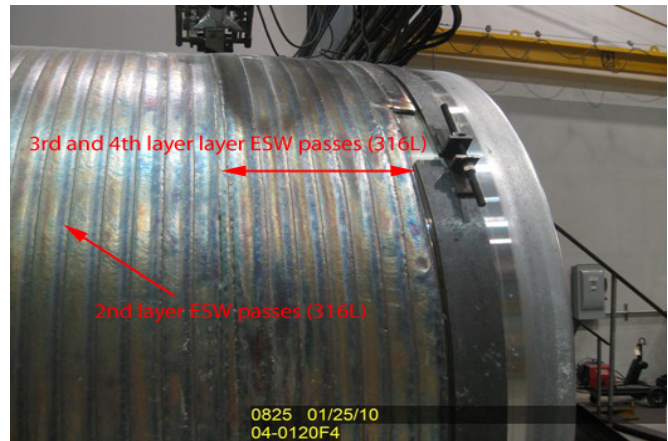
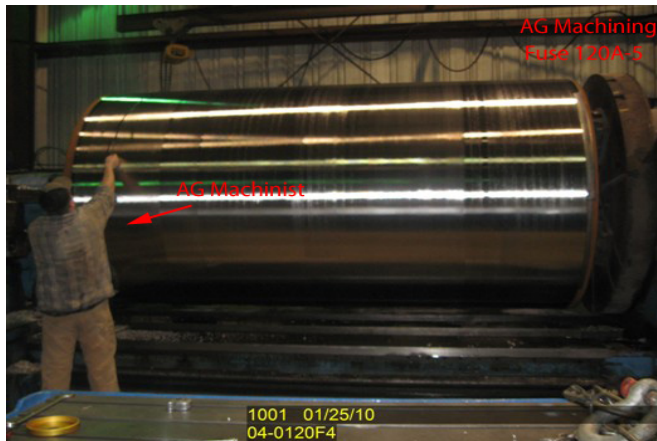
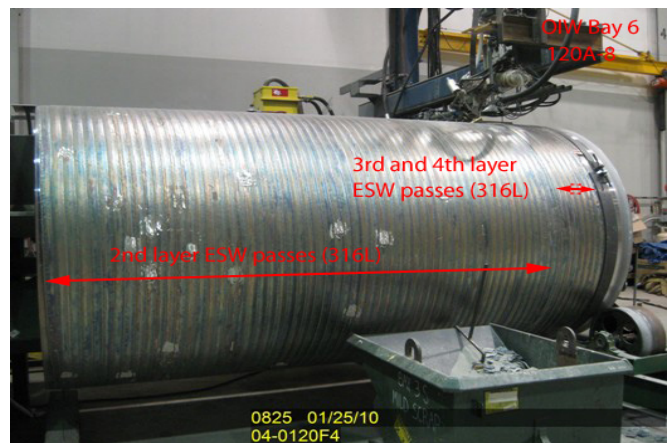
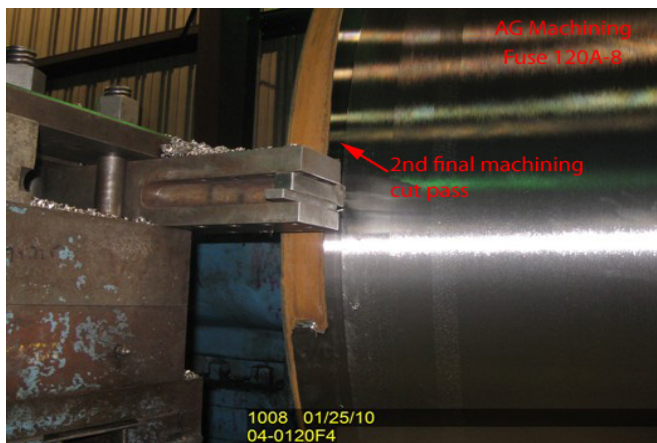
deposited eight ESW passes on the third layer and a fourth layer was previously deposited. QC Inspector Salazar explained to the QA Inspector that the OIW production lead, Troy Smith, had measured the outside circumference of the Fuse and instructed WID #F17, Mr. Igor Frolov to add an additional ESW layer. QC Inspector Salazar explained that there was a concern, after the circumferential measurements on the Fuse were taken, that there would not be enough overlay material to machine to the required final finish tolerance. The QA Inspector noted that the contract requires a final outside diameter finish of 1920 mm (+/-1mm), with a minimum of 5 mm overlay thickness. See pictures below.

## Material, Equipment, and Labor Tracking (MELT)

QA Inspector Sean Vance performed a verification of material, personnel and equipment involved with the project.

The QA Inspector observed at Oregon Iron Works: 2 OIW production personnel and 2 QC Inspectors.

The QA Inspector observed at AG Machine shop: 1 AG Machinist and 1 AG Supervisor.



## Summary of Conversations:

As noted above.

## Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Mohammad Fatemi (916) 813-3677, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

---

## WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

( Continued Page 3 of 3 )

---

---

<b>Inspected By:</b>	Vance,Sean	Quality Assurance Inspector
<b>Reviewed By:</b>	Adame,Joe	QA Reviewer

---